

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims as follows:

Claims 1-19 (Canceled).

Claim 20 (Previously Presented): The system according to claim 23, wherein the network capable client is configured to download an applet from the network capable server, and the applet is used in conjunction with a web browser to select the disk category and disk type in order to generate the graphic data for the disk label.

Claim 21 (Canceled).

Claim 22 (Previously Presented): The network capable server according to claim 23, wherein printing data remotely generated by said remote client is received.

Claim 23 (Currently Amended): A system for performing processes used for generating printing data on the basis of which a disk label is creatable, comprising:

a network capable client configured to locally control/perform said processes used for generating printing data on the basis of which a disk label is creatable, the generated printing data at the client being presented to a user at a first resolution; and

a network capable server configured to offer functionality directly usable and installable on said network capable client, wherein said functionality is adapted to locally control/perform said processes used for generating printing data on the basis of which said disk label is creatable, wherein said network capable client and said network capable server are connected with each other via a communication network, wherein said printing data are generated based on graphic data representing said disk label, wherein, in advance of

finalizing said graphic data for said disk label, a disk label printing area is determined in dependence on selection by a user of a disk category and a disk type, wherein said disk category defines overall dimensions for disks of each disk category, and wherein from said disk type, areas within said disk that are ~~protected~~ not allowed to be covered by said disk label are derivable and are prohibited from being labeled for said disk category, and wherein, during the process of generating said graphic data all instructions recognized as leading to the generation of printing data which cannot be assigned to the determined disk label printing area are blocked, the server being configured to process the printing data of the first resolution and to rescale it into printing data of a second, higher resolution.

Claim 24 (Previously Presented): The system according to claim 23, wherein said communication network comprises the Internet and/or an Intranet.

Claim 25 (Previously Presented): A computer readable medium encoded with a computer program containing instructions configured to cause a processor-based device to execute the method of claim 27.

Claim 26 (Canceled).

Claim 27 (Currently Amended): A method for performing processes used for generating printing data on the basis of which a disk label is creatable, comprising:

locally controlling/performing said processes used for generating printing data on the basis of which a disk label is creatable, the generated printing data at the client being presented to a user at a first resolution;

offering functionality directly usable by a network capable client and installable on said network capable client, wherein said functionality is adapted to locally control/perform said processes used for generating printing data on the basis of which a disk label is creatable at said network capable client, wherein said network capable client and a network capable server are connected with each other via a communication network;

generating, at said network capable client said printing data based on graphic data representing said disk label; and

determining, at said network capable client and in advance of finalizing said graphic data for said disk label, a disk label printing area in dependence on selection by a user of a disk category and a disk type, wherein said disk category defines overall dimensions for disks of each disk category, and wherein from said disk type, areas within said disk that are ~~protected~~ not allowed to be covered by said disk label are derivable and are prohibited from being labeled for said disk category, wherein during the process of generating said graphic data all instructions recognized as leading to the generation of printing data which cannot be assigned to the determined disk label printing area are blocked, the server being configured to process the printing data of the first resolution and to rescale it into printing data of a second, higher resolution.

Claim 28 (Previously Presented): The method according to claim 27, wherein said communication network comprises the Internet and/or an Intranet.

Claim 29 (Previously Presented): The system according to claim 23, wherein said graphic data are generated by a graphic tool, which is part of an applet, having a drawing functionality.

Claim 30 (Previously Presented): The method according to claim 27, wherein said graphic data are generated by a graphic tool, which is part of an applet, having a drawing functionality.

Claim 31 (Previously Presented): The method according to claim 27, wherein the determining comprises downloading an applet from the network capable server, and executing the applet by a web browser to allow the user to select the disk category and disk type in order to generate the graphic data for the disk label.

Claim 32 (Currently Amended): A system for performing processes used for generating printing data on the basis of which a data carrier label is creatable, comprising:

a network capable client configured to locally control/perform said processes used for generating printing data on the basis of which a data carrier label is creatable, the generated printing at the client being presented to a user at a first resolution; and

a network capable server configured to offer functionality directly usable and installable on said network capable client, wherein said functionality is adapted to locally control/perform said processes used for generating printing data on the basis of which said data carrier label is creatable, wherein said network capable client and said network capable server are connected with each other via a communication network, wherein said printing data are generated based on graphic data representing said data carrier label, wherein, in advance of finalizing said graphic data for said data carrier label, a data carrier label printing area is determined in dependence on selection by a user of a data carrier category and a data carrier type, wherein said data carrier category defines overall dimensions for data carriers of each data carrier category, and wherein from said data carrier type, areas within said disk that are ~~protected~~ not allowed to be covered by said disk label are derivable and are prohibited

from being labeled for said data carrier category, and wherein, during the process of generating said graphic data all instructions recognized as leading to the generation of printing data which cannot be assigned to the determined data carrier label printing area are blocked, the server being configured to process the printing data of a first resolution and to rescale it into printing data of a second, higher resolution.